

Pentecost 13, September 4, 2022, Order of Worship

(Luke 14:25-33; Ps 1; Dt 30:15-20; Philemon, summarized)

Announcements/Concerns/Joys

Call to Worship

Psalm 1

pew Bible, p. 843

***Confession and Forgiveness** (from *Sundays & Seasons*, 2021, Augsburg Fortress, p. 250)

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, +one God, who is eager to forgive and who loves us beyond our days. **Amen.**

P: Dear friends, together let us acknowledge our failure to love this world as Jesus does. God of mercy and forgiveness,

C: we confess that sin still has a hold on us. We have harmed your good creation. We have failed to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with you. Turn us in a new direction. Show us the path that leads to life. Be our refuge and strength on the journey, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and friend. Amen.

P: Beloved of God, your sins are forgiven + and you are made whole. God points the way to new life in Christ, who meets us on the road. Journey now in God's abiding love through the power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

***Gathering Hymn** *Lift High the Cross* (1,2,4)

LBW 377, HP 594, ELW 836

***Kyrie** (response: **Lord, have mercy**)

LBW, p. 78

***Prayer of the Day** Direct us, O Lord God, in all our doings with your continual help, so that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name. And finally, by your mercy, bring us to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Celebration of Holy Baptism

Griffin David Huss

A reading from Deuteronomy, the 30th chapter (30:15-20)

pew Bible, p. 320

After each reading: "The word of the Lord." "Thanks be to God."

A summary of Philemon

***Alleluia**

LBW, p. 83

Alleluia! Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia!

***The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 14th chapter (14:25-33)**

Before the reading: **Glory to you, O Lord!**

After the reading: **Praise to you, O Christ!**

Sermon

***Hymn**

Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus (1,2,4)

LBW 487, HP 1831, ELW 802

***Prayers** (God of grace, **hear our prayer**)

***Communion**

***Blessing**

P: May God, who gives life to all things and frees us from despair, bless you with truth and peace. And may the holy Trinity, + one God, guide you always in faith, hope, and love.

C: Amen.

***Sending Hymn**

Rise, Shine, You People!

LBW 393, HP 1737, ELW 665

***Dismissal**

P: Go in peace, with Christ beside you!

C: Thanks be to God!

The **Blessing** and **Dismissal** are from *Sundays & Seasons*, 2021 Augsburg Fortress, p. 202.